

**Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS) Maximum Reimbursement Rates**  
**Effective service week of 7/3/2006**

Providers requesting a higher rate must notify their local DFCS office in writing at least 30 days prior to the effective date and new rates must not exceed provider's published rates.

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| Negotiated Rate<br>(Per Week) | Child care for one child with one provider that occurs over more than one time period (some weekdays and a weekend day, for example) but is 4 to 5 days per billable week should have rate negotiated rather than two separate rates with separate certificates. The negotiated rate for care 3 to 5 days can equal the full time care rate, but should not exceed the full time care rate per week. If care exceeds 5 days per week, negotiated rate may exceed full time care rate but should not exceed the full time care rate added to the per day rate. |
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(Rates allowed, not to exceed provider's charge or as defined by CAPS policy)

| Zone 1  |                             | Formal Child Care Arrangements<br>(Regulated) |                      | Informal Care Arrangements<br>(Unregulated) |
|---|-----------------------------|---|----------------------|---|
|   |                             | Center-Based Care<br>and Group Home Care      | Family Child<br>Care | Non-Relative & Relative<br>Care             |
| Full Time Care<br>(Per Week)<br><br>(Care for 3 or more days per week)  | Infants (6 weeks-12 months) | \$139.00                                      | \$110.00             | \$90.00                                     |
|   | Toddlers (13-36 months)     | 129.00  | 100.00               | 85.00                                       |
|   | Pre-School (3-5 years)      | 114.00  | 96.00                | 75.00                                       |
|   | School Age (6 years and up) | 110.00  | 80.00                | 75.00                                       |
| Part-Time Care (Per Day)<br>(Care for 1 or 2 days per week)   | Any age allowed in CAPS     | \$37.00                                       | \$27.00              | \$23.00                                     |
| Before & After School Care (Per Week)<br>(Includes Pre-K, Head Start, or Kindergarten Wrap-Around or Ages 6 and up) |                             | \$65.00                                       | \$51.00              | \$50.00                                     |

| Zone 2  |                             | Formal Child Care Arrangements<br>(Regulated) |                      | Informal Care Arrangements<br>(Unregulated) |
|---|-----------------------------|---|----------------------|---|
|   |                             | Center-Based Care<br>and Group Home Care      | Family Child<br>Care | Non-Relative & Relative<br>Care             |
| Full Time Care<br>(Per Week)<br><br>(Care for 3 or more days per week)  | Infants (6 weeks-12 months) | \$94.00                                       | \$80.00              | \$61.00                                     |
|   | Toddlers (13-36 months)     | 88.00   | 75.00                | 60.00                                       |
|   | Pre-School (3-5 years)      | 83.00   | 75.00                | 58.00                                       |
|   | School Age (6 years and up) | 83.00   | 75.00                | 60.00                                       |
| Part-Time Care (Per Day)<br>(Care for 1 or 2 days per week)   | Any age allowed in CAPS     | \$26.00                                       | \$22.00              | \$20.00                                     |
| Before & After School Care (Per Week)<br>(Includes Pre-K, Head Start, or Kindergarten Wrap-Around or Ages 6 and up) |                             | \$55.00                                       | \$53.00              | \$50.00                                     |

| Zone 3  |                             | Formal Child Care Arrangements<br>(Regulated) |                      | Informal Care Arrangements<br>(Unregulated) |
|---|-----------------------------|---|----------------------|---|
|   |                             | Center-Based Care<br>and Group Home Care      | Family Child<br>Care | Non-Relative & Relative<br>Care             |
| Full Time Care<br>(Per Week)<br><br>(Care for 3 or more days per week)  | Infants (6 weeks-12 months) | \$74.00                                       | \$70.00              | \$50.00                                     |
|   | Toddlers (13-36 months)     | 70.00   | 65.00                | 47.00                                       |
|   | Pre-School (3-5 years)      | 70.00   | 65.00                | 46.00                                       |
|   | School Age (6 years and up) | 69.00   | 65.00                | 45.00                                       |
| Part-Time Care (Per Day)<br>(Care for 1 or 2 days per week)   | Any age allowed in CAPS     | \$21.00                                       | \$19.00              | \$15.00                                     |
| Before & After School Care (Per Week)<br>(Includes Pre-K, Head Start, or Kindergarten Wrap-Around or Ages 6 and up) |                             | \$39.00                                       | \$35.00              | \$34.00                                     |

**ZONE ONE**  
**(Effective 7/3/2006)**

**CAMDEN  
FAYETTE  
PAULDING**

**CHEROKEE  
FORSYTH  
ROCKDALE**

**CLAYTON  
FULTON**

**COBB  
GWINNETT**

**DEKALB  
HALL**

**DOUGLAS  
HENRY**

**ZONE TWO**  
**(Effective 7/3/2006)**

**BALDWIN  
BUTTS  
DAWSON  
HARRIS  
LOWNDES  
MERIWETHER  
PEACH  
TIFT**

**BARROW  
CATOOSA  
DOUGHERTY  
HART  
LUMPKIN  
MORGAN  
PIKE  
TROUP**

**BARTOW  
CHATHAM  
EFFINGHAM  
HOUSTON  
LEE  
MURRAY  
PULASKI  
WALTON**

**BIBB  
CLARKE  
FLOYD  
JACKSON  
LIBERTY  
MUSCOGEE  
PUTNAM  
WHITFIELD**

**BRYAN  
COLUMBIA  
GLYNN  
JONES  
MADISON  
NEWTON  
RICHMOND**

**BULLOCH  
COWETA  
GORDON  
LAMAR  
MCDUFFIE  
OCONEE  
SPALDING**

**ZONE THREE**  
**(Effective 7/3/2006)**

**APPLING  
BERRIEN  
CANDLER  
CLINCH  
DADE  
ELBERT  
GLASCOCK  
HEARD  
JOHNSON  
MARION  
OGLETHORPE  
RANDOLPH  
SUMTER  
TERRELL  
TWIGGS  
WASHINGTON  
WILKES**

**ATKINSON  
BLECKLEY  
CARROLL  
COFFEE  
DECATUR  
EMANUEL  
GRADY  
IRWIN  
LANIER  
MCINTOSH  
PICKENS  
SCHLEY  
TALBOT  
THOMAS  
UNION  
WAYNE  
WILKINSON**

**BACON  
BRANTLEY  
CHARLTON  
COLQUITT  
DODGE  
EVANS  
GREENE  
JASPER  
LAURENS  
MILLER  
PIERCE  
SCREVEN  
TALIAFERRO  
TOOMBS  
UPSON  
WEBSTER  
WORTH**

**BAKER  
BROOKS  
CHATTAHOOCHEE  
COOK  
DOOLEY  
FANNIN  
HABERSHAM  
JEFF DAVIS  
LINCOLN  
MITCHELL  
POLK  
SEMINOLE  
TATTNALL  
TOWNS  
WALKER  
WHEELER**

**BANKS  
BURKE  
CHATTOOGA  
CRAWFORD  
EARLY  
FRANKLIN  
HANCOCK  
JEFFERSON  
LONG  
MONROE  
QUITMAN  
STEPHENS  
TAYLOR  
TREUTLEN  
WARE  
WHITE**

**BEN HILL  
CALHOUN  
CLAY  
CRISP  
ECHOLS  
GILMER  
HARALSON  
JENKINS  
MACON  
MONTGOMERY  
RABUN  
STEWART  
TELFAIR  
TURNER  
WARREN  
WILCOX**